

Long Island Nursery and Landscape Association

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Academic Scholarships Available for Qualified Applicants

The Long Island Nursery & Landscape Association, Inc. promotes the interests of growers, sellers of nursery stock, landscape design, and landscape contracting businesses on Long Island. Our scholarship program supports outstanding students in horticulture, landscape design, or landscape construction who intend to pursue a career in their field of study on Long Island.

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

- ✓ Applicant must be continuing their studies in horticulture or landscape design.
- ✓ The applicant must intend to pursue a career in horticulture, landscape design, or landscape construction, preferably on Long Island.
- ✓ Applicant must have a 2.5 GPA or higher.
- ✓ Applicant must be sponsored or recommended by a horticulture, landscape design, or landscape construction instructor or employer.
- ✓ Applicant should demonstrate leadership potential and engagement in the green industry through work experience or extracurricular activities.
- ✓ Preference will be given to applicants who show outstanding accomplishments in horticulture, landscape design, or landscape construction.
- ✓ Preference may also be given to individuals demonstrating financial need.

If you or someone you know could benefit from our scholarship program, please complete the enclosed application. For further information and to download a copy of the application, visit our website at www.linla.org.

Please note; All applications must be completed and Emailed or Postmarked by February 20, 2026.

Sincerely,

Gisela Schaefer Cronk, Committee Chair



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2026 Scholarship Application

Complete all the fields indicated below. Any information not included on this sheet must be typewritten and attached.

Name _____

Home Address _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip+4 _____

Telephone Number _____ Email _____

School Attending _____

- 1) What is your GPA?
- 2) List horticulture or landscape design classes you are taking now:
- 3) List horticulture or landscape design classes that you have completed:
- 4) List activities within the green industry that you have completed, or are doing now:
- 5) List activities within the green industry that you plan to do in the near future through work experience or extracurricular activities:
- 6) How would this scholarship affect your higher education goals?
- 7) What are your career plans and will they include working on Long Island?

A letter of recommendation by a horticulture or landscape design instructor and/or employer in the field of horticulture must accompany this application.

Please submit your completed application no later than February 20, 2026.

Email: info@LINLA.org

OR

Mail to: LINLA, PO Box 832, Sayville, NY 11782